

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.

PCT/SE 95/00804

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC6: C12Q 1/68

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

IPC6: C12Q

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

SE,DK,FI,NO classes as above

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

MEDLINE, BIOSIS, WPI, EPODOC, SCISEARCH, EMBL/GENBANK/DBDJ, DBA

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	BIOTECHNIQUES, Volume 17, No 1, 1994, A. Hedrum et al, "Sequence-Based Analysis of the Human p53 Gene Based on Microdissection of Tumor Biopsy Samples", page 118 - page 129, page 118, column 2, line 3 - column 3, line 10, table 2 and figure 5, page 125 or page 126, column 3, line 16-19 --	1-17
X	CANCER RESEARCH, Volume 53, April 1993, Steinunn Thorlacius et al, "Somatic p53 Mutations in Human Breast Carcinomas in an Icelandic Population: A Prognostic Factor" page 1637 - page 1641 --	1-17



Further documents are listed in the continuation of Box C.



See patent family annex.

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Box II Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of Item 2 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

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